

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

RONALD V. TEHAN,

Plaintiff,

VS.

**NANCY A. BERRYHILL, ACTING
COMMISSIONER of Social Security,**

Defendant.

Civil No. 2:17-cv-1128 MAT

ORDER FOR EAJA FEES, COSTS AND EXPENSES

NOTE ON MOTION CALENDAR
December 18, 2017 *without oral argument*

ORDER

Based upon the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA), 28 U.S.C. §2412, and 28 U.S.C. §1920 and Plaintiff's EAJA petition and the assignment of EAJA fees to Plaintiff's attorney by Plaintiff, as well as the stipulation of the parties it is hereby ORDERED that: EAJA attorney's fees of \$5,721.74 and expenses of \$5.39 (postage), and costs of \$6.80 (copies), for a total of \$5,733.93 shall:

- 1) Be awarded to Plaintiff pursuant to *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 560 U.S. 586, 130 S.Ct. 2521, 2531-2, 177 L.Ed.2d 91 (2010) and delivered to Plaintiff's counsel, Rosemary B. Schurman; however,
 - 2) If the U.S. Department of the Treasury verifies to the Office of General Counsel that Plaintiff does not owe a debt, the government will honor Plaintiff's assignment of EAJA Fees and pay EAJA fees, costs and expenses directly to Rosemary B. Schurman.

1 Dated this 2nd day of January, 2018
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Mary Alice Theiler
United States Magistrate Judge

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